

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MONTANA  
BILLINGS DIVISION

**FILED**  
JUN 07 2017  
Clerk, U.S. District Court  
District Of Montana  
Billings

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

vs.

FRANCIS PALMER,

Defendant.

CR 16-89-BLG-SPW  
CR 16-90-BLG-SPW

**ORDER**

Before the Court are Defendant Francis Palmer's Motions for Early Termination of Probation. (CR 16-89 Doc. 3; CR 16-90 Doc. 3). The Court notes that Palmer failed to adhere to Local Rule 7.1(c), which states:

(1) The text of the motion must state that the other parties have been contacted and state whether any party objects to the motion.

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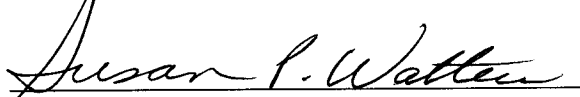
(2) When a motion is unopposed, the word "unopposed" must appear in the title of the motion.

Adherence to this local rule allows the Court, and often the parties, to handle matters more expeditiously. Compliance with the local rule is required.

Accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED that Palmer's Motions for Early Termination are DENIED with leave to renew.

DATED this 7<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2017.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Susan P. Watters", written over a horizontal line.

SUSAN P. WATTERS

United States District Judge